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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.191

Applicants respectfully appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated April 11, 2001 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 5-8.

Enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is a petition to extend the time to reply to the final rejection for three months, to and including October 11, 2001. Please find a check for this extention in the amount of \$460.00. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$160.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) for this Notice of Appeal. If there are any charges, or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

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